1 2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 3 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 4 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 5 No. CR-04-202-JLQ 6 Plaintiff. MEMORANDUM OPINION AND 7 ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR REDUCTION OF SENTENCE VS. 8 SHANNON WEAVER, 9 Defendant. 10 Before the court is the Defendant's Motion For Retroactive Application of 11 Sentencing Guidelines For Crack Offense (C. R. 91) which seeks reduction of the 12 13 Defendant's sentence from 63 months to the statutory mandatory minimum sentence of 60 months. 14 The Defendant's sentence of 63 months was not imposed by reason of the then 15 existent crack cocaine Sentencing Guidelines. As the transcript of the sentencing 16 hearing clearly points out, the extra three months added to the Defendant's sentence was 17 by reason of the court finding of attempted obstruction of justice based upon clear 18 perjury committed in the trial of the co-defendant Johnson. See Sentencing Transcript 19 (C.R. 86-2, pages 5 & 8). 20 By reason of the foregoing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion For 21 Retroactive Application (C.R. 91), actually a motion for reduction of sentence, must be 22 and is DENIED. 23 The Clerk of this court shall enter this Order and forward copies to counsel. 24 **DATED** this 7th day of May 2008. 25 s/ Justin L. Quackenbush 26 SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 27 28

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